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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON NIV ISSUANCE PROCEDURE

REF RE STATE 226451

1. A) FIVE HOURS IS ROUGH ESTIMATE OF AVERAGE TIME BETWEEN
H RECEIPT OF PERSONAL APPLICATIONS AND DELIVERY OF
VISAED PASSPORT. PASSPORTS ARE ALMOST ALWAYS RETURNED
SAME DAY.

B) MAIL APPLICATIONS CONSTITUTE INSIGNIFICANT PROPO-
TION OF TOTAL NIV WORKLOAD, PROBABLY NO MORE THAN
ONE PERCENT. THOSE FEW THAT ARE APPROVED WITHOUT
INTERVIEW ARE NORMALLY MAILED BACK THE NEXT WORKING
DAY.

C) NIV APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED BY TRAVEL AGENTS ARE
RETURNED LATE THE SAME DAY WITH AN ESTIMATED FIVE
N HOURS BETWEEN SUBMISSION AND RETRIEVAL OF PASSPORTS.

2. A) IT IS ESTIMATED THAT PERSONAL WAIVER IS WAIVED IN
LESS THANS20 PERCENT OF MAIL APPLICATIONS.

B) PERSONAL APPEARANCE WAIVED IN APPROXIMATELY 75 PER-
CENT OF CASES SUBMITTED BY TRAVEL AGENTS.

C) INTERVIEWS WAIVED IN LESS THAN 5 PERCENT OF CASES OF
THOSE APPLICANTS APPEARING IN PERSON.

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3. ISSUANCE STATISTICS FOR JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 1975 SHOW

THAT PERSONAL APPEARANCE WAIVED IN 54 PERCENT OF ALL
NIV APPLICATIONS.
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